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REMARKS

In response to the Election/Restriction requirement in the Office Action dated March 17, 2005, the applicant clects with traverse to prosecute the Group I claims: claims 1 through 22. Accordingly, the group II claims 23 through 28 are withdrawn. The restriction requirement is traversed because there does not appear to be another process of making the claimed product by another process, apart from the examiner's mere allegation that the claimed product could be made using a high transition metal catalyst.

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